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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

TAKEHIRO YOSHIDA

Application No.: 08/825,585

Filed: April 1, 1997

For: COMMUNICATION APPARATUS FOR  
SELECTING A COMMUNICATION  
PROTOCOL COMPATIBLE TO A  
PARTNER STATION AND EXECUTING:  
THE SELECTED PROTOCOL

Examiner: G. Eng

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September 4, 2002

Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 4, 2002, the Examiner is respectfully  
requested to amend the above-identified application as follows:

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